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EXCISE DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 31st March 2007

S. R. O. No. 200/2007—Whereas, under sub-section (3) of Section 89 of the Bihar and Orissa Excise Act, 1915 (Bihar and Orissa Act 2 of 1915), hereinafter referred to as the said Act, the powers for making rules are subject to the condition that the rules be made after previous publication;

And whereas, under the proviso to the said provision, such rules may be made without previous publication if the State Government considers that they should be brought into force at once;

And whereas, the State Government considers that the following rules should be brought into force at once;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 89 read with Section 22-A of the said Act, the State Government do hereby make the following rules further to amend the Orissa Excise Rules, 1965, namely :—

1. (1) These rules may be called the Orissa Excise (Amendment) Rules, 2007

(2) They shall come into force at once

2. In the Orissa Excise Rules, 1965 after Rule 48, the following rule shall be inserted, namely :—

"48-A (1) The State Government may, by order, specify the name and other particulars of the agencies or Corporations who may carry on the activities as provided under Section 22-A of the Act.

(2) The agencies or the Corporations referred to in sub-rule (1) shall pay privilege fee per month as may be fixed by the State Government and shall abide by the provisions of the Act and Rules as applicable to a retail licensee.

(3) The privilege granted by the State Government under this rule shall not be assigned or sublet without written permission from the Collector and may be withdrawn at any time without assigning any reason.

(4) In case of violation of any of the provisions of the Act or the Rules applicable to a retail licensee by any such agency or Corporation, the State Government may, after giving an opportunity of being heard, impose penalty of such amount not exceeding fifty thousand rupees and in such case the agency or Corporation concerned shall be disqualified to hold any such privilege".

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By order of the Governor

G. V. V. SARMA

Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Government

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